

# THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

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## LOCAL & PERSONAL.

This has been another showery week with almost constant cloudy weather. The rain of Wednesday was rather heavy and would have been welcome a little later on, but at present farmers, and especially our oat growers, are anxious to see a few weeks of sunshiny weather. The crop is almost ready for harvesting.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Karl B. Schilling arrived here Saturday morning and are guests of Mrs. Schilling's parents, Judge and Mrs. Ed. de Montel. Lieutenant Schilling is just back from an almost three years service in the Philippine Islands.

The usual Cinco de Mayo festivities were observed here by our Mexican people, but owing to the rainy weather and scarcity of money the celebration was on a less elaborate scale than on most former occasions.

Misses Verda and Nora Bright returned to their home at Leakey Wednesday after a several days visit to Miss Amelia Bendele.

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Mrs. Mattie Knight of San Antonio is here visiting her nephew, J. E. Allen, and family.

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Frank Sanders of Leakey spent several days here the first of the week as the guest of Mr. J. E. Allen.

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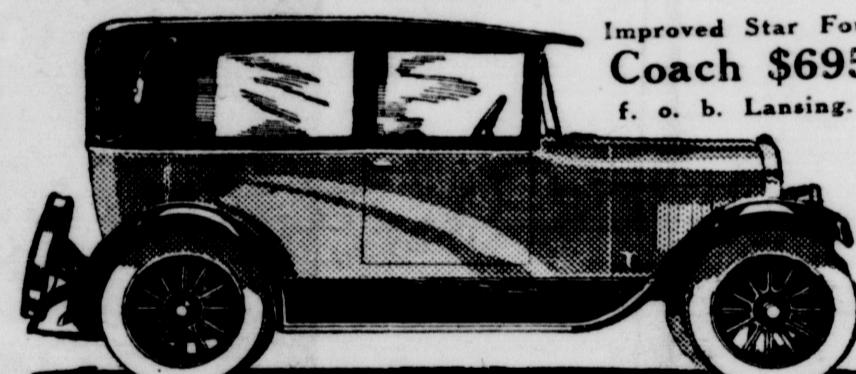
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#### D'HANIS NEWSLETS

A round-up of Local Person and Business Items gathered weekly by our Regular Correspondent  
**Miss Thelma Langfeld**  
to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Langfeld is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

Mr. Allen Koch is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Huesser at Hondo this week.

Misses Hulda Ney and Irene Finger spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ney from San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Lizzie Ney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Muennink from Hondo were visiting here Sunday.

Misses Grace Zinsmeyer, Annie Laura Durbon and Maggie Collins were shoppers in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Batot and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brotze from San Antonio were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Misses Agnes and Marcella Ney and Mrs. Jno. Zinsmeyer were Alamo City visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy Biry and family were visiting Hondo Sunday.

Mr. Allen Zinsmeyer was visiting relatives here Sunday.

Quite a number from LaCoste attended the D'Hanis-LaCoste baseball game here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rehm and family from Sabinal were here Sunday for the base-ball game.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holliday, a 9 3-4 pound boy, May 3. Mother and child are doing fine.

Miss Alice Durbon was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durbon, last week.

Mr. Otto Nester returned to San Antonio after a two-weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Nester.

Little Melvina Bergmann returned with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Bergmann, from San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Huesser from Hondo were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. Hoffman, manager of the Rothe well No. 1, is leaving for California one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Finger and baby, Mesdames Louie Carle Sr. and Wm. Finger were visiting at San Antonio Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle Jr. were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Little of Houston are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rieber and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Boog spent a few days in San Antonio last week.

Commencement Exercises of the D'Hanis School will begin with the first annual Commencement dance at Herman Son's Hall Saturday, May 8, 1926. Rev. Dean Maas will preach the Baccalaureate sermon at Holy Cross Church at 8:00 A. M. Sunday, May 9. The Senior Class play, "Anne-What's-Her-Name" will be presented in the Herman Son's Hall Saturday evening, May 15. The grade school exercises will be held Friday evening, May 21, 1926. The Graduating Exercises will be held in the Herman Son's Hall, Saturday evening, May 22, Hon R. J. Noonan delivering the Commencement Address.

The Kinchelo Prairie school closed Wednesday afternoon with a barbecue supper for parents of the school children, a few invited guests and teachers. The supper was served about five o'clock and at parting time everyone reported a very good time.

Thursday afternoon the teacher of the Seco school had an exhibit of the year's work of both Primary and grammar classes. Later in the evening a barbecue supper was served to all those present. After supper was served a large crowd gathered to attend the programme and dance. The music during the day and for the dance was furnished by Ed Langbine's Band. The evening was enjoyed by all those present.

Plateau Oil Company, drilling Carle No. 1 Oil well south of town on Squirrel Creek Section 72 1/2, drilling at about 1550 feet, had several good showings.

Ina Oil Company, drilling Finger No. 1, Section 746, four miles south of D'Hanis on Seco and Parker's Creek, are drilling at about 250 ft. It is rumored that a deep test will soon be started on the Saathoff lease.

#### JOLLY BUNCO CLUB.

One of the most enjoyable events of the week was the Bunco party given by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Earnest at their new home south of town. After several games of Bunco were played, prizes were awarded to ladies: high, Mrs. Emil Brod; low, Mrs. Bill Brown; gentlemen: Mr. Louis Carle Jr., high; Mr. Frank Finger, low. The consolation was cut by Mr. Bertam Simpson. Delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake

and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rieber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finger, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bertam Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Surwick, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brod.

Mrs. Henry Muennink of Hondo was the guest of Mrs. Louis Carle Jr.

#### THE ROAD. From The Huajillo Leaf.

Have you ever considered the real joys of a walk along the road? My friend, if you have not, you've missed a great, grand thing in life. When I think of a road I see a long, white trail that becomes to the eye as small as a thread in the distance. It curves, it coils, its many curves seem to beckon me to come and see

the beauties that lie along the shiny, by day. There is a time when the winding path. The streams, the heart beats strong with the desire to "hit the road" and the feet keep heights, and the bridges call incessantly to the dreamer, the man, or the woman.

After a visit to the crowded streets and the hard, lighted streets there comes a yearning for the cool wide spaces and the quiet of a country road—a road which lies like a silver thread in the moonlight and like a white shining trail.

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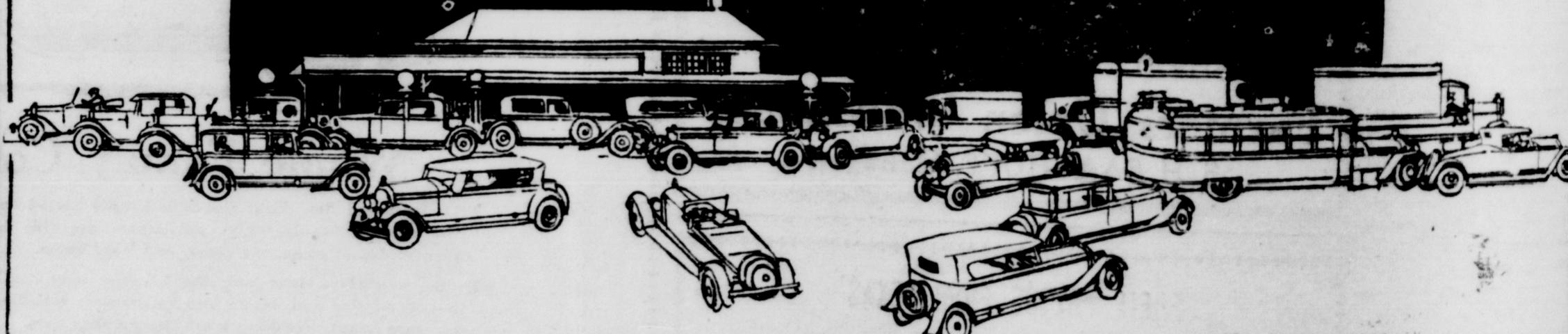
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HONDO, TEXAS, MAY 8, 1926.

## DEVINE NEWSLETS

from the Devine News.  
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OIL WELL STRUCK SATURDAY  
AT LAKE.

Schermerhorn No. 1, on Medina  
grated lands, east of Chicon Lake,  
drilled by Jess Fowler, struck  
good oil sand Saturday, and dril-  
lers are coring and testing carefully,  
peering to go deeper before mak-  
ing final test. The well is around  
9 feet and is the same oil which  
has been struck in Christilles and  
Herman wells, it is thought probably  
stretches across the country from  
Somerset to the Ina field. This is  
out midway between the Somerset  
and the Ina. It is not known how  
much it might produce, probably five  
ten barrels. While it is known  
that oil exists all over that section,  
more or less quantities, there is  
nothing to excite any one, and it still  
remains to strike the real gusher.  
The Schermerhorn Co. is to make  
several tests in this neighborhood,  
this is very encouraging to them.  
These wells are as good as those  
struck at Somerset.

WILD BEES FOUND WORKING  
IN TOWN.

Leon Brisco and James Burnes,  
two boys, while playing on the  
lawn one day last week,  
bees at work in and out of a  
large live-oak. On more careful  
examination, it was found that the  
tree was hollow and that a hive of  
bees had made their home in it.  
Hundreds of other people and school children  
have never seen a bee tree, and are  
looking to see if this evidence of  
natural bee and honey country  
exists, while living on the farm, this  
boy recalls finding a swarm of  
bees settling on a small tree, which  
hived, and during the year took  
pounds of fine honey from the  
tree. This is verily a land of milk  
and honey.

Judge M. Schorobin was here  
on Monday from New Fountain  
and said that they have some high  
water recently getting up into  
the Quihua and that he had to  
leave his car for several hours in  
Oak Slough, going home from  
recent trip to Devine.

## FROM BIRY.

School closed April 27 and Yancey  
bought over a play that night. The  
others returned to their homes.  
Elizabeth Rumsey going to  
Austin and Miss Nora Saathoff to  
San Antonio.

Miss Eunice Heath returned home  
after several weeks stay with her  
brother, Mrs. George Vance of San  
Antonio.

Mr. George Bader spent Tuesday  
in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith and  
children spent Saturday in San Antonio  
at the hospital where Mr.  
Smith's father was operated on for  
a fracture on his eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader and  
children spent Friday evening in  
San Antonio.

Mrs. S. B. Heath and daughters  
and son, Earl, spent Friday in Hondo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackburn spent  
Sunday in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Love returned  
after two weeks stay with Mrs.  
R. Owens and other relatives in  
Saba and Novice, Texas.

Mr. Armin Breiten and Alvin  
Loving spent Saturday evening in  
San Antonio.

Mr. Ed. Pearce's brothers from  
San Antonio are spending a few  
days with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Reiben from Tarpley  
were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold and  
little Biediger boy from Castro  
spent Thursday evening with  
A. O. Biediger and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love and Mr.  
Mrs. Ham Love and Mr. and  
Mrs. Louis Biry and Miss Vick and  
Mrs. Love visited John J. Love at  
the Base Hospital in San Antonio  
yesterday evening. John was doing  
very well.

Mr. Tom and Emmet Nixon spent  
yesterday in San Antonio.

## FROM YANCEY.

Bro. Hill preached at the Methodist  
church Sunday morning. He had  
been ill all the week but was better  
and able to deliver his sermon Sunday.

Moore presented the play "Back  
to the Farm" at the Yancey school  
auditorium Saturday night. The  
play was enjoyed by all present and  
a neat sum was netted.

The high school students and the  
faculty enjoyed a picnic at the Devine-Hondo bridge Friday afternoon.  
The afternoon was spent in  
baseball games races and an exploration  
of the creek. Lunch was spread  
at a late hour and every one left  
for their respective homes saying  
they had a most enjoyable time.

Several from here attended a  
party at Deer Creek Wednesday  
night.

Brother Nelson of Hondo filled  
his regular appointment at the Baptist  
church Sunday. He was accompanied  
by his wife and children.

Miss Agnes Weimers of New  
Fountain visited relatives here Sunday.

## MOTION PICTURE THEATER OWNERS MEET IN DALLAS.

Manager Ray L. Jennings of the  
Colonial Theatre is planning to attend  
the semi-annual meeting of the  
Motion Picture Owners of Texas  
which opens in Dallas Monday, May  
10th at the Baker Hotel for a three  
days convention.

The program, as announced, includes  
a golf tournament Monday afternoon,  
business sessions Tuesday and Wednesday  
with a Midnight Frolic for Tuesday night that will  
be participated in by more than 100  
of the vaudeville artists from the  
vaudeville theatres in Dallas and  
special imported talent. Wednesday  
night there will be a Cabaret  
Banquet and Dance in The Crystal  
Ball Room of The Baker Hotel with  
special feature acts and entertainment,  
including a Musical Review of  
thirty artists.

More than 300 exhibitors attend  
these semi-annual conventions and  
special representatives from all of  
the large film and distributing companies  
gather with advance showings  
of the feature films that are to be  
released during the coming months.  
Mr. Jennings of the Colonial will  
no doubt bring back announcement  
of some of the big feature bookings  
for Hondo.

## CHANGE OF TIME CARD ON SOUTHERN PACIFIC RY.

### WEST BOUND.

Train No. 103, due at 7:09 P. M.  
(No Mail.)

Train No. 7, due at 11:35 A. M.  
(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 227, due at 1:10 A. M.

### EAST BOUND.

Train No. 104, due at 12:02 P. M.  
(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 8, due at 5:53 P. M.  
(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 228, due at 2:05 A. M.

No. 101, Sunset Limited, west bound,  
due at 6:14 A. M., picks up pas-  
sengers for points west of El Paso,  
Texas.

No. 102, Sunset Limited, east bound,  
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tained patrons and visitors with  
several well-chosen selections. Carrying  
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and gold decorations, supplemented  
with numerous bouquets, the stage  
received many favorable comments.

In addition to all of the Enterprise  
patrons, visiting friends included:  
Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass and grand-  
son, Clinton Jagge; Mr. and Mrs. H.  
E. Garteiser and daughter of Hondo;  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neuman and family;  
Mr. and Mrs. John Neuman and family of Murphy; Mr. and  
Mrs. E. A. Bendale and family of Sturm Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Neu-  
man and son of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bendale, Mr. and Mrs.  
Ed Bendale of Black Creek; Mr. and  
Mrs. Simon Heath and family, Mr.  
and Mrs. Fred Biry and family of Biry; Miss Mathilda Haass, Messrs.  
Charley and Sebastian Haass of La-  
Coste; the Misses Jungman of Castro-  
ville; Miss Agnes Haby of Dunlay,  
and others whom we failed to list.  
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Agricultural Experiment Station  
of its administration of the Texas  
Feed Law, has been published in  
Bulletin No. 336 which is now available  
for free distribution on request  
made to B. Youngblood, Director,  
College Station, Texas. The Texas  
Feed Law, designed primarily to  
protect purchasers of commercial  
feeds against adulteration and inferior  
articles, was enacted by the  
legislature in 1905. During the year  
ending August 31, 1925, inspectors  
visited 9,069 firms in 1,680 towns  
and cities and secured 1,518 official  
samples for chemical analysis and  
microscopical examination. The  
report shows to what extent feed  
manufacturers are complying with  
the law and shows a relatively small  
number of irregularities detected.  
Feed dealers and consumers are advised  
to carefully study this bulletin  
in order to become familiar with  
the official definitions and feedstuffs  
and standards adopted and to purchase  
feed from firms which make  
shipments according to law and maintain  
their guarantee in every respect.

A new feature of this report is  
a list of tentative chemical standards  
for four of the principal special-  
purpose mixed feeds which have been  
made in order that mixed feeds not  
suitable for the purpose to be served,  
may not be sold under misleading  
names. Tentative standards were  
accordingly devised for cow and  
dairy feed, horse and mule feed, hog  
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## Windrow's Store News



**SPRING HOUSE CLEANING**  
It is always a favorite subject for Comic Artists at this season, but we are referring to this activity of the housewife with the purpose of helping you through the following SPRING-TIME SUGGESTIONS:

To Keep Moths Away from Wearing Apparel—Use Gum Camphor, 10c a cake; Moth Balls, 30c lb.; Cedar Bags, 10c each, 3 for 25c.

For Cockroaches—Red Devil Roach Powder, 25c; for Ants, Red Devil Ant Destroyer, 25c; Borax, 25c lb.

For Flies—Poison Fly Paper, 5c package; Daisy Fly Killer, 25c; Fly Tax, 50c, 75c, and \$1.25; Fly Flu, 35c and 50c.

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For Brightening Pans and Steel Utensils—Powdered Pumice Stone, 5c ounce; Fidelity Metal Polish 35c can.

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Hondo High School won seven of nine games played this season, holds title to the twenty-third state scholastic district baseball championship. The latest victim was Devine, which was beaten Saturday, 10 to 1. Bradley of Hondo fanned fifteen and allowed but four hits. Hondo batters accumulated fourteen bingles.

**H. E. HAASS, Attorney-at-Law,** Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company. Road Maps of Medina County, cloth, \$5. paper, \$3. 15

FOR SALE, Brick Hotel with store room, known as the Mason House, near S. P. Passenger Depot. A good buy for some one who wishes to go into the hotel or mercantile business, \$10,000, half down, balance on long easy terms. Arthur Halbert, North Uvalde, Texas. 41-2t.

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Allen Koch of D'Hanis is spending the week here with his aunts, Mrs. Eugen Huesser and Miss Hulda Nester.

REMEMBER WE ARE WELL EQUIPPED TO VULCANIZE YOUR TIRES AND TUBES. IT IS ECONOMY TO DO SO. CITIZENS MOTOR CAR CO.

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V. W. Marshall, the auditor of the Medina Oil Company, left Thursday of this week for Warren, Ariz., to visit his family and look after business interests there. Col. Marshall is very optimistic about the future oil developments of this territory and expects to return in the not distant future to help in the furtherance of the good work.

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## FORTY-TWO CLUB.

On Friday, April 30th, Mesdames Eral Boon, H. E. Taylor and Laura Wellhausen entertained the members of the Forty-two Club and a number of guests in a very delightful manner. After ten games were played, scores were compared and Mrs. F. H. Schweers and Mrs. F. S. Cockrell were found to have tied for low score—one game. High score—eight games—was held by some eight or nine guests.

After the games the guests went to "George's" where a scene typical of the first day of May was laid. In the center of the room was a large May-pole bound with, and from which streamers in pastel shades led to the tables, serving as centre adornments, were miniature May-poles, with streamers marking places for four. Vari-colored cosmos served as favors. A refreshment course, consisting of fruit salad, potato chips and saltines with "soda-pop" in colors to harmonize with the decorative scheme, was served to the following guests and members: Mesdames H. E. Haass, F. S. Cockrell, Barnitz Carle, Earl O'Neal, Eugene Mofield, Theo. Cameron and Miss Octavia Davis; Mesdames L. E. Heath, Earl Starnes, R. W. Speece, Fletcher Davis, O. H. Miller, F. H. Schweers, L. J. Brucks, Felix Batot, Felix Richter, Ed. Cameron, W. O. Rothe, Alice Reinhart and Misses Bess and Lilian Brucks and the hostesses.

Mrs. Horace Bradley, Mrs. Felix Batot and Mrs. Ed. Cameron will be the hostesses for the next meeting. Those who do not expect to attend the next meeting are requested to notify one of the hostesses.

## SCHOOL CENSUS.

Following are the scholastics enumerated in the schools of Medina County:

Medina County Rural, 2640 in 1925-26, 2390 in 1926-27, 2500 loss.

Hondo Independent, 655 in 1925-26, 551 in 1926-27, 104 loss.

Devine Independent, 570 in 1925-26, 501 in 1926-27, 69 loss.

D'Hanis Independent, 212 in 1925-26, 220 in 1926-27, 8 gain.

Net loss, 415.

The Mississippi Free Lance is a virile and interesting weekly published at Jackson, Mississippi, by Ex-Governor Theo G. Bilbo. It is \$2.00 a year and worth the money to any man who enjoys reading vigorous, forceful literature. Besides your subscription will help the Governor in his worthy ambition to again serve his people as their governor. Help him by sending your subscription for our club offer and get both the Free Lance and FARMING for \$2.00 the price of the Free Lance alone. Send your subscription to either paper and ask for both papers.

You write letters occasionally. Why not use printed stationery? We will furnish you a box of 200 note-sheets and 100 envelopes, all neatly printed with your name and address, for only \$1.00. You can't beat it. Call and let us fix you up, or mail us a dollar bill and we will mail them to you post paid anywhere within the radius of this paper's circulation. Address The Fletcher Davis' Print Shop, Hondo, Texas.

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## SENIOR-JUNIOR PARTY.

On Friday evening, April 30, the Seniors entertained the Juniors at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyers.

A reception committee of Seniors ushered the Juniors into a private room where, upheld only by the encouragement of several teachers, they waited in fear and trembling for the coming ordeal. In the dining room the other guests had assembled and awaited in gleeful anticipation the rites of initiation. When had arrived the victims, one by one blindfolded, were led to the sacrifice and painfully (for some) brandied on each cheek in glowing colors.

Next came the spirited and amusing contest of peanut-rolling, the prize being a hand carved wooden horse.

Through the efforts of Mr. Elmer and the original Seniors, a chair offering much in the way of surprise for both Juniors and onlookers was arranged. First, boys were seated in the chair with Jo Miller acting as fortune teller; then girls were seated with Wilburn Van Fleet as the seer.

Whether the fortunes were such as to disturb the composure of the occupants of the magic chair itself, is not known, but, at any rate, the Junior class did not rest easily in it and departed quickly from the most common of household furnishings.

Seeing the jaded and worn looks of the once jolly Juniors, the Seniors were moved to compassion and served refreshments of grape juice and angel-food cake. The favors, in anticipation of the journey into much abused life, to be made later by the Juniors, were miniature cases for the boys and hat boxes for the girls.

## MOTHER'S DAY SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mothers' Day Doxology, Song, "The Sweetest Story Ever Told."

Scripture Reading.

Prayer.

Anthem, "My Mother's Bible," by the Choir.

Sermon by Pastor: Subject, "A Mother in Israel."

Song, "The Prodigal Son," by Mrs. Roland Gaines.

Benediction.

Mother's day will also be observed by the Sunday School and the Mothers and Fathers are cordially invited to be present. Since the second Sunday in May has been set apart to be observed in memory of our Mothers, let all attend church in honor of the best Mother in the world—My Mother, "The loveliest sovereign God ever made, to reign from a heart's sacred throne."

THE PASTOR.



# Our Castroville Page

## Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1926.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

This section was again visited by a heavy rain last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Hans and daughter, Miss Theresa, were Alamo City visitors last Tuesday.

Hon W. C. Baker, our District Attorney, was in our midst Thursday.

A. E. Halbardier went to San Antonio Friday and brought Mr. Louis Einken and son, Lee, who had undergone an operation for appendicitis. Lee is getting along O. K.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geiger of Birr were Castroville business visitors yesterday last week.

John T. Mangold was at Hondo Friday on business bound.

Chas. Maurer, the cigar man of Seguin, was mingling with his many friends here Saturday.

Twenty nine children, twenty boys and nine girls, received their first Holy Communion at St. Louis church Sunday morning. Rev. Father Heckmann officiated.

Alton, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tondre, suffered an attack of diphtheria Sunday evening.

Medical aid was at once summoned and the little man is now getting along fine.

A. E. Halbardier was at Hondo Monday on business bound. He was accompanied by W. H. Wernette.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rothe, of San Antonio passed through our little burg Monday enroute to their stock ranch.

We learn that Charley Suehs bought Dr. Williamson's place, the former Anton Beetz place, one day last week.

The dance of Sunday night at the Electric Park Hall was well attended and very much enjoyed.

If the weather permits oat harvesting will be in full blast by the end of this week.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks to our many friends for their kind sympathy and many beautiful floral offerings at the funeral of our dear and beloved mother, Mary Annie Vollmer.

### THE FAMILY.

visitor at Hondo Monday.

John Geiger is at Hondo this week attending court.

Mr. Martin of Lytle was here on business Monday.

D. J. Christilles was a San Antonio business visitor Monday.

Gabe Haby from Cliff was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray of Lytle were here for the dance Sunday night.

Miss Malinda Erck spent last week in San Antonio with her Uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Echle and daughter from our north side were business visitors here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groff from Pearson were business callers at our office last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stein from Cliff were visiting Louis Biediger and family here Monday evening.

Miss Emma Biediger of San Antonio spent last week-end with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Sittre and children from above Castroville were visiting relatives here Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nehr and daughters from D'Hanis were visiting here Sunday.

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LaCoste Mercantile Company received two car-loads of lumber last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Mangold from here, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mechler and children from the Sauz, Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt Geiger and children, Krank Keller and daughters Misses Clarissa and Octavia and son Frank Jr., Rev. James Marsollier and Leonhard Jungman and many others from here attended the Field Mass and Picnic at the Medina Lake Sunday.

Miss Marie Hanna of San Antonio was here Sunday.

George Christilles was at Del Rio on business the first part of the week. Henry Mangold was a business

Joe Schmidt of Devine and Otto Braun of Moore were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bohl from Devine were visiting here and at Castroville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zuercher from Castroville were visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reicherzer and children of San Antonio spent several days with home folks here this week.

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### TWO KINDS.

Little Louis had gone to the kitchen to observe old Aunt Sarah, the colored cook, at work making biscuits. After he had sampled one,

"Aunt Sarah, I can spell now, he observed:

"Aut Sarah, I can spell now. These are made out of d-o, do."

"But that doesn't spell dough," Louis' mother corrected, as she entered the kitchen to give the cook some orders.

Whereupon Aunt Sally thought that she, too, would enter the discussion. So she said:

"Dere's two kinds of do, chile. 'Do,' what you shuts, and 'do' what you eats." — Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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### QUIHI NOTES.

No Sunday school or divine services will be held in the Quihi or New Fountain Lutheran churches on Sunday morning, both of these congregations and their pastor being invited

to participate in celebration anent the 50th anniversary of Rev. A. Falkenberg's ordination. This service, in which Rev. G. Langner of Knippa and Rev. F. Gerstmann of Elgin, both lifelong friends of Rev. Falkenberg, will be the speakers, will be held in the Lutheran church in Hondo. Participants from a distance are kindly requested to bring basket lunches along, so that a social program at a convenient place, after the service in the church, may be held as the local committee determines.

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### FARMING AS A BUSINESS.

"Legislation can help agriculture itself," Governor McMullen declared in an address before delegates attending the convention of the Federation of Nebraska Retailers at Grand Island, Nebraska.

The governor declared that the farmer does not ask the government to step in and manage his affairs, but does ask that he be aided in working out his own problems. He urged less talk, less thoughtless opposition, and above all, something

"Agriculture is not a local industry in which only the people of the farming communities are directly interested," Governor McMullen said. "It is national in its scope.

"It represents an investment of over \$8,000,000,000. In economic terms agriculture must be taken

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tution, pointing out that virtually all the federal aid projects are subversive to the guarantee of state sovereignty. He paid special attention to the proposal to establish a federal department of education because many educators over the nation now are giving their support to the proposal.

Admitting that the proposal, as at present advocated, would give the federal government very little authority over state educational systems, he recalled, however, that every usurpation of state authority has been engineered in just such a way, and predicted that if the federal department were established the day would not be far distant when the schools of the nation would be under federal jurisdiction.

The Chronicle joins with Mr. Terrell in the opinion that no greater blow at American institutions could be struck. The danger here is greater even than in other cases of federal aggression for such a system would inevitably lead to a standardization of education, and eventually to a certain degree of standardization of thought. There is already too much standardization in matters of learning, for standardization means, along with other things the choosing of a certain few things on which to concentrate and the ignoring of many thousands of other things.

The educational world, indeed, has to guard against any centralization of authority or control that would tend to such a condition.

But quite aside from the danger of education itself, the teachers of Texas, as Mr. Terrell declared, should consider it their most important duty to teach the principles of the Constitution as they were written. The present tendency to get away from those principles, unless checked, can have no other effect than to undermine the Constitution, the foundation of our government.

Mr. Terrell outlined the evils resulting from a score of federal usurpations of state responsibilities, mentioning especially the excessive cost of providing agricultural advisors, the situation Texas now faces of being unable to allow the extension of railroad lines without the consent of the interstate commerce commission and the necessity of the states adopting inheritance tax laws in order to obtain 80 per cent of the tax levied by the federal government.

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## OUR DUAL SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT Powers and Duties of the Federal Government Limited by the Constitution

(Address delivered by Geo. B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, before the South Texas Educational Association at Mission, Texas, March 27th, 1926.)

I desire to call the attention of all thoughtful people to the functions of the Federal government as distinct from those of the states and the danger of usurping the functions of State government by Congress. If the states desire to grant more power to the General government by constitutional amendment, they have the right to do so, but Congress has no right to usurp powers not authorized by the Constitution. Some people seem to think that when the Eighteenth Amendment and the Nineteenth Amendment was adopted that the states surrendered all their rights.

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I do not concur in that view, and I have always favored woman suffrage and prohibition of liquor traffic in the entire United States, and believe that a Federal question is involved in the manufacture of liquor for legal purposes, in its transportation between the states, and in the enforcement of the law on international borders and in the territorial waters of the United States. The government has exercised this authority since the adoption of the Constitution. The only infringement upon State rights is the enforcement of this law by Federal officers in the states. I realize this raises grave questions as to the line of demarcation between the State and Federal government in the future, and admonishes us that we have gone far enough in that direction.

The United States Constitution is a compromise document between the views of the Federalists in the Constitutional Convention led by Alexander Hamilton and the views of James Madison and others representing the Anti-Federalists or Republicans of that time, but now known as Democrats.

Federal Government Supreme in all Matters Conferred upon It by the Constitution.

In order to adopt the Constitution it was necessary for each side to concede something. Hamilton contended for a strong centralized government, and Madison and his followers contended for the supremacy of the states. It was finally agreed that the Federal government should exercise sole jurisdiction over the following matters:

"The coinage of money and regulating the value thereof; Conducting all international affairs, making of treaties, etc.; Regulating foreign commerce and commerce between the states (interstate); The establishing of post offices and carrying the mails; The control of foreign immigration, naturalization, etc.: The levying the collection of taxes for the legal and necessary expenses of the Federal government; Raising armies, declaring war, etc."

Insidious proposals which are undermining those principles have gained favor in many sections in re-

crease of population and wealth and the expansion of business and the organization of large industrial corporations doing an interstate business, serious problems of governmental authority have arisen, and our wisest statesmen have been unable to solve them in the interest of the public welfare. The transportation problem is the most serious and must be correctly solved or the government must acknowledge its impotency to deal with transportation problems. In dealing with this problem, the Federal government has probably already transgressed its authority in assuming that a sovereign state cannot authorize the building of a mile of railroad within its borders without the consent of the Federal bureau, and that this bureau shall make rates on purely intra-state shipments.

The application of the Southern Pacific Railroad to build into the Rio Grande Valley and assist in developing this rich country and that of the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad to extend its line into the great Panhandle belt of the State to give that section needed railway facilities now pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission, are conspicuous examples of unjust powers exercised by a Federal bureau. Every person who believes in justice knows that State Railway Commissions ought to exercise these powers which are inherent in the state. John H. Reagan, the father of the Interstate Commerce Commission, never dreamed that the commission which he created would take away from the states all their powers to regulate transportation. Judge A. W. Terrell warned Judge Reagan at the time this bill was pending in Congress that this commission would eventually usurp the powers of the state to control railroads within their borders. His warning seems like an inspired prophecy.

Problems of Taxation are Serious. We encounter another serious difficulty in raising revenues to meet the legitimate demands of the Federal and State governments without conflict of authority and without placing undue burden upon the tax payers and retarding legitimate business.

For many years after the adoption of the Constitution the Federal government never attempted to meddle with the local affairs of the states. These local functions cover every phase of government not expressly delegated to the Federal government and are too numerous to mention in this discussion. With the rapid in-

A PLEA FOR THE CONSTITUTION.

The address of George B. Terrell, State Commissioner of Agriculture, before the South Texas Educational Association at Mission last Saturday was a challenge to the teachers to uphold the fundamental principles of the dual sovereignty of the states and the Federal government as outlined in the Constitution of the United States.

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Mr. Terrell made a masterly address on the principles of the Constitution which are not duplicate, and if the field of income taxes were left solely to the

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LACOSTE LEDGERETS.  
From the LaCoste Ledger.

Daniel Christilles was a San Antonio visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Kauffman was a visitor in the Alamo City last Friday.

J. L. Mechler from Hondo was here on business last Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Kring returned to her home in Corpus Christi Monday.

Albert Reymann of San Antonio spent Sunday with homefolks here.

Julius R. Tondre from Castroville was here on business last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Wagner is very ill at writing.

Denny Franger from Delta was on business Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard, injure a baby boy, April 30, 1926.

The LaCoste Ball Team together with many fans from here motored back to D'Hanis Sunday, May 2, 1926 where they gave the D'Hanis team a shutout, their first defeat of this season, this being their sixth game, in one of the best games of real baseball ever played in this County.

St. Mary's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday morning at 8:30, May 5, 1926. The contracting parties were Miss Rosa Reicherzer and Mr. Richard A. Biediger. The attendants were Miss Marcella Biediger, sister of the groom, and Oscar Reicherzer, brother of the bride.

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CO. ERECTS WREHOUSE & TANKS.

Work on the erection of an 18 by 20 Warehouse and two tanks, one a 10x30 for Gasoline and one 10x20 for Kerosene, for P. F. Christilles, Agent of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. of LaCoste, was commenced Monday morning.

The Warehouse and tanks are being built on the S. P. Railroad property just west of the Farmers Union Grain Warehouse.

The contract for the carpenter work was awarded to Mr. Adolph Reymann, local contractor while the contract for concrete work went to George E. Neuman of Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zeinert of Macdonna were visiting Mrs. Zeinert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kauffman here Monday evening.

County Attorney D. C. Brown and wife and son from Devine were business visitors here last Saturday while here Mr. and Mrs. Brown paid the Editor a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Henry Reus and daughters, Jessie Rosa and Ida, and sons, Herman and Johnnie, and Allen Bippert spent Sunday with Miss Ella Reus in San Antonio.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groff and family will be glad to learn that Mrs. Groff and two children, who had been very ill with pneumonia for nine weeks are well again and able to get about.

Chas. W. Rossy, the McNess products dealer, who formerly lived here was here last Thursday shaking hands with friends. Mr. Haven, who will sell the McNess goods here in the future, was with Mr. Rossy, to get acquainted with the people here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Franger and daughters Alice and Mrs. Petty and baby and son, Ed. Jr., of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Michael Franger here Sunday.

Mesdames L. C. Howard and Early Calk from Pearson were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Mechler of Castroville spent Sunday with Paul F. Christilles and family here.

Adolph Zinsmeyer from the Sauz was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Etter of Castroville were short visitors here last Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Sitte from Castroville spent last week with Mrs. Ferd. Ahr here.

Miss Emma Biediger of San Antonio was home for the Biediger-Reicherzer wedding Wednesday.

Wilfred Hutzler from Crystal City spent last week-end with homefolks and friends here.

Mrs. Wm. Itlis and daughters from Delta were visitors here last Thursday.

Chas. Santleben from the Sauz was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Christilles and little daughter were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mangold and children of Cliff were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mangold and Mrs. Frazier of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Louis Biediger and Miss Ruby Mann were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Alex Hitzfelder took the ball players and many ball fans out to the ball game at D'Hanis, in his truck, Sunday.

Carpenter D. R. Bippert is plying his trade at Alfred Wurzbach's place

above Riomedina this week.

Messrs. Erwin Loessberg and Herbert Erick left for Cline Monday where they again took up work with the Signal Gang of the S. P. Railroad Co.

Ferd. Ahr and son Edwin returned Saturday from Somerset, where they have been doing carpenter work the past week.

W. H. Hawkes and daughters, Misses Ruth and Eva, Mrs. A. H. Ahr and daughter, Miss Martha, were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carle and Clyde and Clinton Carle of San Antonio were visiting in Castroville Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Kring, Mrs. Amelia Haby and Mrs. L. C. Howard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wernette and Mrs. Mary Wernette at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rihm and family from Castroville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and family here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burrell and daughters from Castroville were visiting Wm. Jungman and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Fields, Wm. Wagner and daughter, Miss Minnie, from the Salado were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Ahr and son, Edwin, and Grandma Wagner here Tuesday. Miss Wagner remained here for some time.

Rev. Fulgence Meyer, O. F. M., from Cincinnati, Ohio, will hold a mission in St. Mary's Church here, beginning Sunday morning, May 9, and ending May 16. All parishioners are urgently requested to attend and bring their friends along.

A Class of five young men and women will graduate from the LaCoste Public School on May 21; the graduates are: Misses Roberta Reymann, Marie Jungman and Martha T. Ahr, and Messrs. Frank J. Keller Jr. and James Kroeger.

Misses Roberta Reymann, Marie Jungman, Martha Ahr, and Messrs. Wm. Britz, Albert Reymann, George Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kauffman and many others from here were at D'Hanis to witness the ball game Sunday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mangold was christened in St. Mary's Church, Sunday, April 25, 1926. The names given the young lady were Beatrice Jennetta. Sponsors were Miss Marie Metzger of San Antonio and A. N. Mangold of Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ahr and son, Quinton, spent Sunday with Alfred Ahr and family at Castroville.

Miss Emma Biediger of Draughon's Business College, of San Antonio, attended the Biediger-Reicherzer Wedding here Wednesday.

Messrs. Robert Burrell and Claude Beck from Riomedina and Clarence Haby from Cliff were business visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. V. Reicherzer of San Antonio was here for the Biediger-Reicherzer Wedding Wednesday, and is spending the week-end with relatives here and at D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mechler and daughter, Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ahr and son, Quinton, and Alvin Droitcourt spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Droitcourt at Castroville last week.

#### SERVICE

THINK a beautiful thought, do a noble deed, say a kindly word and the world as a mirror will reflect it faithfully back to you. Render unselfish service and you will receive abundant aid in time of need.

IF you are not receiving from the world your share of happiness or success, if harsh words and bitter thoughts surround you, look well within your own soul. Let no one cloud your mental vision. Know that as you give to the world the world will give back to you.—The Royal Neighbor.

#### A WOMAN IN A GARDEN.

"I am no lonelier," she marked her lilies sway  
On graceful stem.  
I have watched other women's children drift away  
From them.

I have watched other women age and with  
In heart and face  
Because they found, in homes they had not built,  
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John Hanlon, in New York Sun.

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Every time we attend a funeral of a man who has been a husband and a father, we think of what the home has lost. We associate the success of a well-managed home so much with mother that we are prone to lose sight of Dad. But when we stand around the yard waiting for them to bring Dad through the doorway, we begin to think of him as the man who furnished the shingles over that home—as the man who held the butcher and grocer off with his weekly pay envelope—the man who mowed the grass and hauled out the ashes each spring.

Dad is the man who buys the chicken, who carves the chicken and for all expense and trouble he draws the neck and wing. Dad is the chap who wears last summer's straw hat that mother and the girls may have new bonnets. True, it is mother who darns the socks, but who pays for the darn socks?

It was Dad who went to lodge and came back smelling like a smokehouse and rolled and tossed because he had eaten four ham sandwiches and drunk two cups of coffee after eleven o'clock. Poor old Dad—he was an awful fool about the work of the lodge, but with all his faults there was something about him and his Brother Masons that makes us sigh as we drop our sprigs of acacia into the new made grave.

Dad was as steady as a steam roller, as constant as the drip of a faucet. When he was silently rubbing his itch and a-zing into the fire, he was probably thinking of the price of coal. Sometimes mother had to chide him for wearing a shirt too long or neglecting to hang his hat in the proper place. Sometimes daughter wished he wouldn't come into the living room without a collar. Sometimes the boys thought he was hard on them and tight with them. But now he is gone they will miss him sorely and understand why he went without a new overcoat to pay the last premium on his life insurance. And when you come back from the place where you laid him, and all the brothers of the lodge have gone back to their homes, and the undertaker has gathered up the folding chairs and removed the crepe from the door, you are going to miss the sober presence that stood between you and so many outdoor annoyances.

Never go back on Dad.—Exchange.

FARMER-TO-CUSTOMER REGIME PREDICTED BY PRESIDENT LOWDEN.

The increase in the farmers' net income this year is not proof that the situation of the farm is righting itself. Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, president of The Holstein-Friesian Association of America, told the American Bankers' Association in the Convention at Atlantic City, N. J., recently.

Only by organization within itself for the marketing of products and for other common ends can agriculture regain its rightful place and restore the proper balance between itself and other business activities, he asserted.

"Though farm conditions are somewhat better than they have been in recent years," Mr. Lowden said, "they by no means assure the future of the industry. The farm problem is not solved. It will be well for us to recognize this fact."

Asserting that agriculture is sadly out of gear with the other parts of the economic structure, Mr. Lowden said that, in an era in which progress is obtained only through organization, the farmer has been the last to realize the value of organization for its own sake.

#### Value of Organization.

"In all other fields of commerce, unrestricted, free and open competition in the marketing of products has been gradually disappearing," he continued. "In all other industries there has been a growing tendency to stabilize the prices, largely through corporations which have taken the place of innumerable smaller independent units. In agriculture alone have the methods of marketing made no improvement, except as to the sale of those products which are now being marketed through cooperative associations."

In urging organizations for farmers, Mr. Lowden said he did not mean that they should operate their farms through corporate management, but should work together for the solution of problems concerning the marketing of their products and the restoration of the proper relationship between the prices they receive for their products and the prices they pay for other commodities.

#### Forecasts Complete Marketing.

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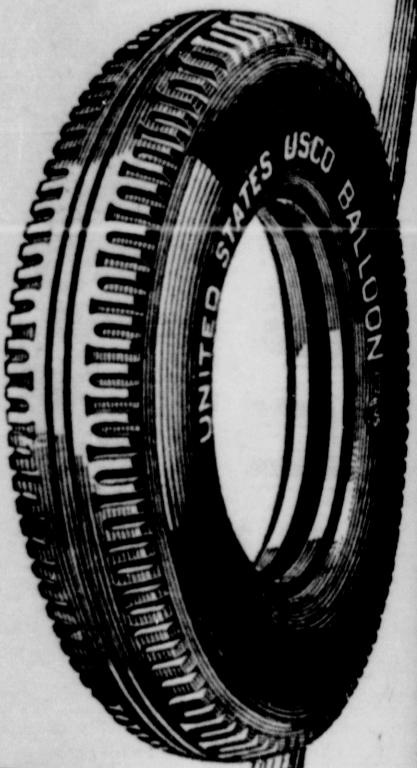
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